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SUBJ: JDL CAMPAIGN AGAINST US/SOVIET TRADE

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1. MISSION NOTES TWO INCIDENTS IN NEW YORK CITY IN FURTHERANCE NEW JDL CAMPAIGN AGAINST US/SOVIET TRADE REPORTED PARA 5 REFTEL. RABBI KAHANE NOT PRESENT AT EITHER EVENT. TV NEWS AUG 5 ALSO NOTED JDL SIT-IN EARLIER IN DAY OF SENATOR KENNEDY'S OFFICE IN WASHINGTON WHICH WAS ATTENDED BY RABBI KAHANE.

2. SIX JDL MEMBERS WERE ARRESTED FOR CRIMINAL TRESPASS AT PAN AM AIRWAYS MAIN OFFICE NYC AUG 4. GROUP OF NINE COMMENCED PEACEFUL AND ORDERLY SIT-IN AFTERNOON AUG 3 IN RECEPTION AREA PAN AM EXECUTIVE SUITE. GROUP DEMANDED CESSATION PAN AM FLIGHTS TO MOSCOW BECAUSE OF SOVIET TREATMENT SOVIET JEWS. PAN AM MANAGEMENT POSTED SECURITY GUARD BUT OTHERWISE LEFT GROUP UNDISTURBED. NEXT MORNING THREE SITTERS LEFT. ABOUT 11 A.M. REMAINING SIX BEGAN THROWING PAPERS AROUND AND THREATENED SEVERAL PAN AM EMPLOYEES. ALSO BROKE CHAIR. PAN AM THEN CALLED POLICE TO MAKE ARRESTS.

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3. ON JULY 27 TWENTY-FIVE JDL MEMBERS PICKETED SAN MORITZ HOTEL WHERE WINE TASTING PARTY UNDERWAY FOR LIQUOR DISTRIBUTORS BEING ASKED INTRODUCE BRAND OF RUSSIAN VODKA NOT SOLD BEFORE IN US. TWO JDL MEMBERS SUCCEEDED IN CRASHING PARTY WHERE THEY MADE BOISTEROUS REMARKS BEFORE SEIZING ONE BOTTLE VODKA GIVEN TO LIQUOR DISTRIBUTOR. PARTY RECEIVED BOMB THREAT BY TELEPHONE LATER IN EVENING. LITERATURE HANDED OUT BY PICKETERS CLAIMED THIS WAS BEGINNING OF CAMPAIGN OF QUOTE LARGE ECONOMIC ACTION AGAINST THE SOVIET INTERESTS UNQUOTE. DECON 8/6/72. BENNETT

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